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Disease Kidney Trouble Often Falls to Be Regarded as

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People have kidney disease. They take some diuretic, hoping to get better. They never once think of catarrh. Kidney disease and catarrh are seldom associated in the minds of the people, and, alas, they are not very often associated

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HIS MAJORITY 1,746,768.

posevelt Recieved 2 1-2 Mil Hon More Votes than Parker.

Chicago, Dec, 24.—The official canvace of the votes cast Nov. 8 for presidential electors was completed today when the result was announced in Minnesota, North Dakota and Washington The Associated, Press is therefore able to present the first table giving the official vote of all the forty-five states. The total vote is 18,508,496 against 18,968,574 in 1900 a decrease of 460,078. The vote was divided as follows: Roosevelt, Republican, 7,627,632; Parker, Democrat, 5,080,054, Debs, Socialist 391, 598: Swallow, Prohibitionist, 260, 303; Watson, People's, 114,687 Corregan, Socialist Labor, 88,438; Holcomb, Continental Labor, 880.

Roosevelt received over all others 1,748,788, and over Parker 2,574. 578. In 1900 McKinley had 467,046 more than all the other candidates. 869,984 more than Bryan. The vote sevelt was 409,822 more than for McKinley, while that for Parker 1,277,772 less than that for

McKinley polled more votes than Rogervelt in Alabama, Georgia, Ken neky, Louisiana, Maine, Maryland, inchalppi, New Hampshire, North South Carolina, Tennessee. and Virginia. Roosevelt gos an McKinley in the thirtyother states. Parker received ore votes than Bryan in Deleware, Seorgia, Mississippi, New Jercey, and West Virginia. While got more than Parker in the

thirty-seven states, publicans made gains over official figures show The total gains of Mere 782,048, and 312,946, a not gain

of 419,799. The Democrats polled more votes in eight states than in 1900, but fewer in thirty-seven. Their total gains were 30,792 and the total losses 1,291,491,a net loss of 1,260,-698. Roosevelt carried thirty-two states against twenty-eight carried by McKinley, and has 336 electoral votes under the apportionment of 1900. McKinley has 292 votes under the apportionment of 1880, there having been an addition of twentynine by the last apportionment. Parker carried thirteen states against seventeen carried by Bryan and has 140 electoral votes. Bryan had 155 under the apportionment in force in 1900. Watson recieved his largest vote in Georgia, the total of that state, 22,684, with 20,509 in Nebraska, being nearly one-third of his aggregate, 114,637. Barker polled 50,218 in 1990. The Prohibition vote in 1900 was 208,791; in November this year 260,303, a gain of 51,-512. Four years ago the Socialists had an electoral ticket in thirty-two states and polled 87,769 votes. This year they had a ticket in forty-five staces, and the Debs vote was 891,-

Colorado's Mystery Unsolved.

Colorado Springs, Col., Dec. 24 .-Several class were run down by officers to day without establishing the identity of the young woman slain on Cutler mountain. Mrs. Mamle Swift, who disapeared from this city four weeks ago, was located to day at the home of her brother in Victor. Mrs. Sadie Durant of Pueblo is still missing, but the officers do not believe she was the murdered wo man. The city marshal of Manitou. Mr. Cree, reported to-day the disap-pearance of a young woman, an invalid, who prior to three weeks ago, was living in a tent on the outskirts of that town.

Han Stood The Test 25 Years.

CONFEDERATE'S SON GETS JOB

OVER PROTEST

Mr. Roosevelt Will

Also Visit Richmond.

Washington, Dec. 26.-The President today accepted au invitation to visit Richmond, Va., and appointed J E. B. Stewart, of Portsmouth, Va., son of Gen. "Jeb," Stuart, the United States marshal for the eastern district of Virginia.

This means that the president will make two trips through the South next summer one by way of Louisville to San Antonio Tex., to attend the reunion of the Rough Riders, and the other by way of Richmond to his mother's old home in Rosewell Ga. On the second trip a number of other will be visited. No date has been

The invitation was extended by Mayor McCarty of Richmond and a delegation of city officials and prominent citizens. They were warmly industries. received at the White House. The appointment of Mr. Stuart was a surprise. Morgan Treat who has held the office for several years and was a candidate for reappointment, was asked to resign two days ago. Mr. Stuart's appointment was sent to the Senate before Mr. Treat's resignation was received.

A few days ago President Roosevelt promised to appoint a grand son of "Stonewall" Jackson to West believe that he entends to honor the federacy in every way that he can.

The President is accused of breaking faith with the Republican organizaion in Virginia by appointing Stuart. It is alleged that he promised to per-Virginia legislature to choose a man. It is said that he was guided solely in the manner by ex Congressman in New York, who is cordially disliked by leaders of both parties in Virginia Virginia Republicans here say that Stuart has, up to within less than a year, been a Democrat and is unknown by a majority of the leaders.

The Probate Judge Held Over.

Guthrie, Ok . Dec. 25 -P. C. Simmons, attorney general of Oklahama, in holding to day that the failure of for the boys' training school and a person elected probate judge to qualify in the time fixed by law created no vacancy in the office, disclosed a remarkable state 3f affairs in Washita county. R. T. Sitterley. Democrat, was nominated for probate judge, but fell dead of heart dis ease while campaiging. The Democratic central committee named L. R Cowan in his place and Cowan was elected. Several weeks ago without having qualified for the office. Cowan was stricken with apoplexy and died. Inasmuch as the period of incumbency is lot limited by law Mr Simons held that the incumbent R. A. Billupe, will hold over until the next general election. Billupe is the Democratic national committeeman for Oklahoma.

Banker Would Buy Immunity.

Lincoln, Neb., Dec. 28 .- The pur chase of immunity from prosecution by the return of alleged stolen bank funds is a proposition made to the authorities of Holt county, Neb., by the fugitive president and cashier of the bank. President McGreevy is now under arrest at Phoenix Ariz His offer is to return more than \$40. 000 for a dismissal of the case against him. Mrs. Hagerty has supplemented by tending property and money to the value of \$25,000 if the Holt county prosecutor will give her husband immunicy. Most of the di-The old, original GROVE'S Taste-iess chill tonic. You know what you are taking. It is irou and quinine in a tasteless form. Nocure, no pay. 50c. munity has little hope of success.

STATE CHARITY BOARD RECOMMENDS NEW LAWS.

Abolition of Stripes For Convicts and Reforms in Conduct of Institutions Urged.

Jefferson City, Mo., December 21-The Missouri state board of charities and corrections held its final meetfamous Confederate cavalry leader, ing for the year at the capitol today. After the passage of a resolution commendatory of Governor Dockery and declaring that all of the state's institutions were in satisfactory condition, the board adopted the following recommendations, which will be incorporated in greater detail in the report to be submitted to the general assembly:

The abolition of stripes, as used southern cities, invititations from universally in the penitentiary, the which practically had been declined, same to apply only to long term convicts; others to be uniformed in set for the trip to Rosewell butit will some garb of suitable color to probably be made early in the sum- designate the class of convicts and terms of sentence.

The gradual employment of convict labor to the immddiate interests of the state, in preference to foreign

A law prohibiting county courts from keeping insane patients in the poor house

A law conferring upon superintendents of all state eleemosenary institutions the power of nominating all subordinate officers, and a law compelling all state institutions to purchase supplies from each other when possible to do so.

A law creating the office of state architect, who shall prepare plans Point. Southerners are now led to and specifications for all state buildings, or a law authorizing the emmemories of famous men of the Con- ployment of a practical inspector of buildings, who shall pass on all plans and specifications of new

That the law shall be so amended that the sentence of boys to the mit the Republican members of the training school at Boonville shall be limited to their minority.

That the state shall assume the cost of maintaining the inmates at John S. Wise of Virginia, now living the boys training school and the girls' industrial home.

> A law making it a felony for atattendants at hospitals for the insane and colony for the feeble minded and epileptics, to abuse patients That the salary of the superinten-

> dents at the girls' industrial home be increased from \$900 to \$1500. The enactment of an indetermin-

ate contence law. The appointment of parole agents

girls' industrial home

Columbus, Ohio, May 19, 1903.

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Wheeling, W. V., May 28, 1903.

My system was run down and my joints sched and pained me considerably. I had used S. S. S. before and knew what it was, so I purchased a bottle of it and have taken several bottles and the aches and the several bottles. pains are gone, my blood has been cleased and my general health built up. I can testify to it as a blood purifier and tonic.

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RESULT A HUNG JURY.

No Verdict Reached in the Trial for Murder of the "Florodora" Chorus Girl.

New York, Dec. 22.-Miss "Nan" Patterson, the "Florodora" chorus girl, probably will have to stand another trial for the murder of "Caesar" Young, the turiman, who was shot to death while in her company in a New York cab. The jury which took the case under consideration yesterday afternoon reported shortly after 11 o'clock this morning that is was unable to agree. The inrors were sent back for further deliberation and at 12:51 o'clock reported that an agreement was impossible. The court then discharged the jury.

Kaiser is Ready to Fight the English.

Berlin, Dec. 24 -- Incensed by the warlike utterances of the semi-official British press, the Kaiser has ordered his diplomatic representative in London to inform King Edward's cabinet that if England wants hostilities with Germany he is quite willing for trouble. Otherwise he asserts that there must be no more such publications as those of which

he complains in the past. The articles to which the Kaiser refers were printed for the most part in the Army and Navy Gazette and culminated in the declaration that the German navy is so rapidly becoming a menace to British interests that war, with the destruction of the Kaiser's fleet, was desirable before it became still more formidable.

The German Emperor announces that his country has no idea of abandoning the development of its navy no matter how alarming the situation may appear to its neighbors.

An Irresistable French Gun.

Paris, Dec. 24.-Great interest has been caused by recent experiment with a new cannon, a secret invention. The most recent test was made at Havre last Sunday in the presence of M. Berteaux, minister of war, and fifty deputies and senators. The new cannon has a calaber of 240 millimeters (9% inches), firing a projecttle weighing 163 kilograms (359 pounds). The princible merit of the invention is its extreme simplicity of mechanism. Three men can operate it. The shell fired has a muzzle velocity of five hundred meters (1,940 feet). So powerful is the force of the shot, it is said, that no ship of any navy could withstand it. The cost of the cannon is said to be \$100,000, including its quota of projectiles.

Took Another Russian Fort.

Tokio, Dec. 24.-A dispatch received by telegraph to-day from the Japanese army before Port Arthur says: "The right column of the army at 5 o'clock this morning, taking ad-

vantage of the enemy's excitement drove the enemy off an eminence north of Housanyentao on Pigeon bay and occupied the fortified posttion. At 7 o'clock we dislodged the enemy from a height upon the peninsula west of Housanyentao, which we occupied, capturing one small gun. After the Japanese occupation of the position, the enemy made a counter attack, but was immediately repulsed. At present our occupation of the positions is practically

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